

Child Development Coordinating Council Minutes July 15, 2015

Attending

Voting Members Present: Mary Groen, Erin Clancy, Lance Roorda, LauraBelle Sherman-Proehl

Voting Members Absent: Julie Ingersoll, Marguerite Macek, Colleen Dunn, Betty Zan, Carla Peterson

Non-Voting Members Present: Jeanie Wade-Nagle

Non-Members Absent: Tom Rendon, Tracey Mavis, Cathy Wheatcraft

Staff to Council: Amy Stegeman

Secretary: Gloria Hamilton

Major Discussion Points

Due to low attendance and not having a quorum present, the decision was made to share brief updates and maintain the agenda for the September meeting.

Program Updates: Amy Stegeman

There was additional language passed in HF 658 that will be added to Iowa Code 256A which governs the Child Development Coordinating Council. It provides preschool grantees options for selecting program standards other than NAEYC. The timeline for when this will go into effect is being determined by a review of the new language. It is anticipated that it would begin in FY21 when new grants are awarded. An update will be provided at the September meeting. Grants awarded prior to July 1, 2015 will continue to be assessed and evaluated based on the current awards criteria and rules. Therefore they will not be affected.

The Governor's line-item veto of one-time education funding to school districts did not directly impact the Shared Visions Programs.

Public Comment: None

New Membership Updates:

Head Start Parent Representative – Stephanie Peters

University of Northern Iowa - Beth Van Meeteren

Iowa Department of Education - Kimberly Villotti

Erin Clancy has completed her 2-year appointment as Co-Chair and will transition into the role of Chairperson beginning in September. The Co-Chair will be vacant until the elections occur at the September or November meeting.

Future Agenda Items

Program Evaluation

Annual Report to the Governor

Future Meeting Dates

The next Council meeting is scheduled for September 16, 2015.